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In re Application of:

Molnar et al

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For: POSITION CONFLICT
DETECTION AND AVOIDANCE
IN A PROGRAMMABLE
GRAPHICS PROCESSOR
USING TILE COVERAGE DATA

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Group Art Unit: 2676

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Examiner: Antonio A. Caschera

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 31, 2005

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 31, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 30, 2005, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/NVDA/P001024/SW, for any additional fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.